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Enclosed is the patent application of Michael A. Needham for MULTI-PURPOSE FISHING TOOL.

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[X] 16 pages of text

[X] 3 sheets of drawings

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Applicant claims small entity status.

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SMALL ENTITY

Rate	Fee
	\$375
x \$9 =	\$
x \$42 =	\$
+ \$140 =	\$
Total	\$375

OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY

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Applicant(s): Michael A. Needham Atty. Docket: 40746.001

Title: MULTI-PURPOSE FISHING TOOL (Fishin wand)

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